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CHARACTER WEAK BUT NOT VERACITY

Jerome Scores Point With Mrs. Thaw's Diary

Examination of Lawyer Abe Hummell
Boots Prosecution Nothing This Morning.

OBJECTIONS ARE SUSTAINED

New York, Feb. 26.—The first witness in the Thaw trial today was Abe Hummell, the disbarred attorney, whom Jerome convicted sometime ago of perjury, in the Dodge-Morse divorce case. After a few preliminary questions, Jerome handed the witness a photographic copy of an affidavit Evelyn Thaw is alleged to have made in Hummell's office, telling of Thaw's alleged cruelties to her while they were traveling in Europe and exonerating White. Evelyn testified yesterday that she did not make the statement, but heard Hummell dictate them to a stenographer. Delmas piled objection after objection in the prosecutor's path, which Justice Fitzgerald sustained. Hummell then withdrew from the bench. Hummell was then withdrawn from the stand.

MORE.

Mrs. Thaw on Stand. Evelyn Thaw was recalled and when Jerome had concluded his cross-examination at 12:40 o'clock she was smiling, confident and still fighting. At the finish the prosecutor struck probably the most effective blow at the girl when he introduced her diary, while at school at Pompton. In the diary were jesting remarks about her "Virtuous Whitebed" and "Weakness for Rector's," which she knew was not a proper place for a young girl to go.

This was read to the jury. If Jerome's attack has found a weak spot it has been in her character, rather than veracity. At the afternoon session Evelyn was recalled by the state.

GIANT ICICLE CAUSES A PANIC.

Crashes Through Skylight, Frightens People and Injures Two.

New York, Feb. 26.—While sixteen families in the Sterling place apartment house, Brooklyn, were at luncheon today they were thrown into a panic when an icicle twenty feet long and five feet thick crashed through the skylight. Florence Woods, a servant, was standing under the skylight and she was hit on the head and knocked senseless. She suffered injuries on the back, abrasions of the face and hands and cuts on the head and her condition is serious. Cora Waiker, another servant, escaped with slight cuts on the hands. The huge icicle fell from the roof of the house four stories high.

AGED WOMAN FALLS AND BREAKS HER ARM

Mrs. M. H. Rohm fell yesterday morning at the home of her nephew, Mr. C. F. Rieke, 528 Kentucky avenue and broke the small bone of her left arm. Her niece Mrs. Charles Trueheart of Louisville arrived last evening, coming as soon as she heard of the accident. Mrs. Rohm is resting very comfortably today. She celebrated her 85th birthday on February 2, and is remarkably active. She has a wide circle of friends in Paducah who will rejoice that the accident was not more serious.

Pleads Not Guilty.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Anna Bradley, indicted for murder in the first degree for the alleged killing of former Senator Arthur M. Brown of Utah, was arraigned before Judge Stafford in the criminal court here today. Mrs. Bradley is evidently suffering from her confinement, as she was very nervous. The indictment was read to her and she pleaded not guilty. No time was set for the trial of the case and she was remanded.

Judge Wofford Dead.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 26.—John W. Wofford, judge of the criminal court, noted for his quaint philosophy died today, aged 60 years. He held that a wife had a right to "go through her husband's pockets," saying that when a man married he conferred this prerogative upon his wife. He served with distinction in the Confederate army in a Georgia regiment.

New South Wales paid \$3,500,000 in four years in bounties for rabbits.

HONOR FOR ROOSEVELT. London, Feb. 26.—According to advices received here President Roosevelt is shortly to receive an autograph letter confirming a royal order upon him from King Menelik, of Abyssinia.

Y. W. C. A. FIRE. Detroit, Feb. 26.—The Young Women's Christian Association building erected a year ago at a cost of \$100,000 was badly damaged by fire this morning.

CHILD SUICIDE. Chicago, Feb. 26.—Smarting under reprimands of a teacher, who mistook his sensitiveness for obstinacy, and deeply grieved at the gibes of his schoolmates, Paul Berak, 14 years old, killed himself after writing two notes in the Hungarian language, explaining his intention to commit suicide and giving instructions for the disposal of his body. He fired a bullet through his brains.

SACRA ON TRIAL.

Russellville, Ky., Feb. 26.—John Sacra, who has been in jail at Bowling Green for safe keeping was placed on trial for the second time today on the charge of being one of four men, who assaulted Mary Gladdier, a German girl. The jury is being selected. During the former trial the jail was attacked by a mob and Sacra was shot. He was given the death sentence but the court of appeals granted a new trial on account of the mob. The two Sacras' alleged accomplices are Fletcher and Lyons, who were hanged last week.

MAIL ROBBERY.

Mt. Sterling, Feb. 26.—Deputy Marshal Jackson arrested Thomas Pettit, of Powell county on the charge of attempting to rob the mails and brought him here. It is charged that Pettit attacked and badly beat Carrier Henry Stevens.

DRAMATIC SUICIDE.

New York, Feb. 20.—As a ferry boat, neared the dock of Long Island City today, a well-dressed woman, uttering piercing screams, jumped into the water and disappeared under the ice. Fully a thousand passengers witnessed the suicide.

POISONER CHARGED.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The grand jury has voted six true bills, charging murder against Herman Billek, a fortune teller, in connection with the deaths of six members of the family of Martin Vrzal. The indictments charge death by poisoning.

ALL BIDS OFF.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The administration has decided not to accept any bids for the construction of the Panama canal by contract.

GRAIN MARKET.

Cincinnati, Feb. 26.—Wheat, 80; corn, 50; oats, 45.

GLASS PLANT.

Contract for Buildings Let to George Ingram.

Harry Finley has awarded to George Ingram a contract to erect eight buildings on the McKinney Veneer and Packing company property, recently purchased for a site for the glass plant, at a cost of \$10,000. The buildings will be 78x50, 78x60, 12x20, 42x41, 36x30, 50x22. One will be a brick building for holding the crucible for melting glass. The work will start at once.

Railroads May be Affected Like Insurance Companies

TWO CENT FARE.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 26.—A half was called on the two cent passenger fare bill by the legislature and will not become a law unless all its provisions are pronounced constitutional by competent authority.

There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.

LOOKS AT VICTIM BEFORE ESCAPING

Stoner Ferguson Went to the House Where Morris Died

Changed His Coat and Hat At Home and Went Out, Followed By His Son.

WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN

Stonewall J. Ferguson, after fatally stabbing Augustus Morris at Campbell and Eighth streets Sunday evening, immediately went to his home, changed his coat and hat and in company with his son returned to the home of May Gordon in time to see his victim placed in the wagon and taken to the undertakers. After this he disappeared.

The fact that Ferguson returned home and later confirmed his suspicions of the fatal results of his attack on Young Morris is not denied, the statement coming directly from one of the family. The family, however, did not know that he had committed any crime. It is further stated that the reason the son accompanied, or rather followed him, is that the father appeared not to be himself, and his speedy departure aroused suspicion.

To a friend one of Ferguson's sons stated yesterday afternoon that his father entered the house excitedly, took off his coat and hat and making a quick change started out again. The boy followed and declared his father was present at the house when the dead body of young Morris was placed in the ambulance to be conveyed away.

This is as much as can be learned of Ferguson's actions immediately following the killing. The report that he was seen at Potter and Alexander's grocery store a few doors from the May Gordon home, following the departure of undertakers with the body, could not be confirmed.

Friends of Ferguson who have grown up with him believe he will return and surrender when excitement dies out, but state it is their opinion that he has left the city. Various reports have been in circulation regarding his temperament, but his friends know him as a peaceable, law-abiding citizen, and attribute his act to temporary derangement caused by drink.

Victim's Funeral.

This morning at 7:50 o'clock the body of Augustus Morris was taken to Calvert City on the Fulton-Louisville Illinois Central accommodation train, and this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock buried in the Calvert City cemetery. The Rev. D. M. Green, a Baptist minister officiated. Those who went to Calvert City this morning to attend the funeral are N. M. and J. B. Morris, brothers; Mrs. Myrtle Dunn, Misses Maggie Morrison and Arizona Blackburn, Messrs. James Ward, Aaron Hurley and William Lander. A sister remained at the bedside of the father, whose condition is considered hopeless, the patient having been unconscious five days of pneumonia.

A New Grandson.

James Divine returned Monday from Paducah, where he and his wife went to see a new grandson that had been born to their daughter, Mrs. Herman Divine. Mrs. Divine will remain for several days yet. Jim is stepping around like a real young grandpa.—Mayfield Messenger.

New York, Feb. 26.—The interstate commerce commission in investigating the Harriman railway lines, threatens the same effect on railway interests as the Armstrong inquiry had on the insurance companies two years ago. Wall street reflects the situation today in quoting gilt edged stocks at record low prices. Even Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul stock, which sold at 198 last fall is down to 143½, although St. Paul is not directly involved in the Harriman exposure. The Southern Pacific, a Harriman line, is selling at 91 the lowest price of the year.

KEEPING WARM WITHOUT FUEL IN THE NORTHWEST.



—McWhorter in St. Paul Dispatch.

BUDGET FIGURES ARE PRETTY HIGH

When Estimated Income Is Taken Into Consideration This Year

OVER TWO THOUSAND SHORT

Anticipation of Half Million Increase in Assessment Was Too Ambitious.

FINANCE COMMITTEE TO MEET

Based on collections for last year, the most accurate system of estimating it, the income of the city this year will fall short \$2,549.15 of covering the budget, which was prepared by the general council in anticipation of more than a half million increase in the assessment. The half million fell off \$50,000, including estimated railroad assessment, which will be made out by the state authorities and paid the following year. The assessment this year, which includes the estimated railroad assessment, is \$10,850,599, as compared with \$10,401,226 last year, an increase of \$449,373.

Last year the income was \$228,361.67, of which \$148,384.15 was raised by property tax and \$79,977.52 from all other sources, including police court, Riverside hospital, markets, scales, wharf, cemetery and licenses. In Lexington and other second class cities the revenue for the year is estimated by multiplying the assessment by the tax rate and deducting 10 per cent for delinquents errors and double assessments, to the results of which added collections from all other sources.

Paducah's Method.

City Auditor Alex Kirkland has a more accurate basis. He takes the collections for the preceding year for his basis, presuming that the taxes collected last year will be collected this year, and that in the matter of license and all sources of income other than taxes, the growth of the city and consequent increase will cover whatever items are lost.

Figuring for the benefit of the finance committee at the beginning of the year, assuming on suggestion that the increase in property valuation would be \$500,000, he gave the city an estimated income of \$255,634.15. The assessment fell short of this estimate \$50,000, reducing the estimate to \$254,799.15. The budget calls for \$257,258, leaving an apparent deficit of \$2,518.85.

The estimate is made in this wise: The income from property tax at the rate of \$1.65 on the \$100 last year was \$148,384.15. At the rate of

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BONEYARD CANDIDATE.

Humane Officer Sanders Cannot Find Owner.

Thomas Sanders, humane officer, this morning found a sure enough candidate for the boneyard. It was a horse ready to fall down from starvation, and so sore were his hoofs from going unshod that it limped painfully along Broadway pulling a heavy farm wagon.

"Two negro boys were driving him and I asked them whose it was," officer Sanders explained. "They said it belonged to a farmer of the county, and I telephoned him. He declared that it belonged to the negroes, and when I returned to the boys they were equally as positive it belonged to the man. I ordered it out of harness and will prosecute if I find it being driven again until in better condition."

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETS AT CITY HALL TONIGHT

All interested citizens are invited to attend the big open meeting of the Commercial club in the council chamber of the city hall tonight, when subjects of civic and commercial interest will be discussed. Hon. Charles K. Wheeler and Hon. Hal S. Corbett are down for addresses. The remainder of the evening will be given over to open debate.

DEFICIT CAUSED BY WORK ON ROADS

ODD FELLOWS GO SLOW IN SEARCH

Funds of County Lack \$25,000 of Enough to Cover Expenses Incurred During Calendar Year

JUDGE LIGHTFOOT EXPLAINS.

DESIRE SITE NEAR BROADWAY.

Might Close Deal for Building

Susceptible of Alteration to Suit Needs of Order--Might Build Home

RESULTING DAMAGE SLIGHT.

Options have been secured by the Odd Fellows on several Broadway properties with the view of purchasing a home for the order. If they can build a building which suits their purpose, the fact that it is ready up would be rather favorable to its purchase. There is a strong inclination among the members to have the home of the lodge on some side street not more than a square from Broadway. In that event the noise of the road fund at the time.

Judge Lightfoot is a strong advocate of a bond issue for county road improvements, and has been progressive constantly in this respect. He has been instrumental in securing some of the biggest improvements the county has had in years.

The Odd Fellows also have options on several lots adjacent to Broadway, which would be suitable for building purposes. If it is decided to build a new home, it will be several months at the least before actual construction is under way. A ready built home would have to be sufficiently large for the lodge hall and capable of being reconstructed to suit the lodge's particular needs. Having made a year's lease of the Knight's of Pythias' hall the Odd Fellows will go about getting a home of their own in a leisurely manner.

FRANK DISCUSSION.

Of Expenses of Riverside Hospital Will Be Indulged in.

Mayor Yeiser probably will call the board of trustees of the Riverside hospital together tomorrow to reorganize. Mayor Yeiser and President Palmer, of the board of aldermen and President Lindsey, of the board of councilmen, are ex-officio members. The election in the general council and consequent change of officers, necessitates reorganization of the board. It is understood that frank consideration of the matter of trimming expenses of the institution will follow immediately on reorganization.

SHERIFF GETS QUIETUS FROM STATE AUDITOR.

Attorney D. H. Hughes received a message this morning from Sheriff John W. Ogilvie in which he stated that a settlement had been made with the state for the McCracken county taxes. Not a hitch occurred in balancing his books with those of the state.

THREE CANDIDATES OUT FOR CITY ATTORNEYSHIP

Attorney Frank A. Lucas has formally announced for city attorney. He is a well known young attorney, for years a state auditor's agent, and will make a hard race. Other candidates are A. L. Harper and John Miller, Jr.

PET DOG AROUSES MASTER'S FAMILY

Residence of Mr. George Ripley, Jr., 814 Madison Street Saved by Faithful Animal From Fire

Aroused by the persistent whining and scratching against the front door by his dog, Mr. George Ripley, Jr., of 814 Madison street, got out of bed to quiet the dog last night at 10:30 o'clock and found the rear of his residence in flames. The dog stays in the back yard and it is supposed that his instinct told him that something was wrong as he went to the front porch and remained there barking and scratching against the door until Mr. Ripley came.

Fire companies Nos. 1 and 3 responded to the alarm and the blaze was extinguished after it had done \$200 damage to the house and several hundred dollars damage to the furniture. The fire started in the kitchen fire and had made good headway before the family was aroused by the dog. The furniture was partly insured and the house owned by Capt. Owen, of the Bettie Owen, was insured.

BURNED BY METAL.

Luther Long Receives Injuries At C. Shops.

Molten babbit metal badly burned Luther Long, a young tinner employed in the Illinois Central shops, yesterday afternoon. So thick did the flying metal spread that it stuck in great lumps in his hair, and had to be cut out with scissors. Long was pouring metal into a journal box brass. In some way water had gotten into the cavities, and when the hot metal hit it, an explosion occurred and forced the metal into his face. His cheeks and neck were burned, his eye-brows and lashes singed and painful burns inflicted generally on his face and head.

WOMAN SEEMS DEMENTED; POLICEMEN TAKE CHARGE

Mary Montgomery, colored, was arrested near Nineteenth street and Broadway last night by Patrolmen

TUESDAY NIGHT, FEB. 26

Jos. M. Gailes Presents Sydney Rosenfeld's Big Sensational Success

"THE VANDERBILT CUP"

The Two Mile a Minute Automobile Musical Comedy.

Lyrics By Raymond Peck. Music By Robert Hood Bowers.

Cast of Sixty and

Barney Oldfield's Great Automobile Racing Effect, showing two monster racing cars traveling at a rate of one hundred miles an hour.

Special for Eddie "Cannon" Bald, the Famous Long-Distance Driver, and Harry Fowler, will drive the Pope-Toledo, 110-H. P. Racing Machine brought direct from the Long Island Cup Course for "The Vanderbilt Cup" race in the second act, the greatest effect ever seen on the stage, far surpassing The Famous Chariot Race in "Ben Hur."

Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Seats on sale Monday 9 a. m.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Soul Satisfying.	
Fleurette!	You bet
That name was made for rhyming.	It starts
Our hearts	Like silver bells, to chiming.
Fleurette!	O, let
Us feast upon the manna,	We gag
At "Mag"	And care not much for "Hannah."
—Washington Herald.	
PRAY FOR LOCAL OPTION BILL.	
Supplications Raised From Pulpits and Homes All Over Illinois.	
Lettuce	5¢ bunch.
Parsnips	5¢ quart.
Turnips	10¢ gal.
Sweet potatoes	60¢ bu.
Irish potatoes	75¢ bu.
Sassafras	5¢ bunch.
Young onions	2 bunches 5¢.
Greens	10¢ bunch.
Beets	2 bunches 15¢.
Radishes	2 bunches 15¢.
Celery	75¢ doz.
Strawberries	20¢ box.
Grape fruit	3 for 25¢.
Bananas	10¢ doz.
Oranges	20¢ doz.
Apples	25¢ peck.
Chickens	35¢ to 75¢.
Turkeys	10¢ lb.
Rabbits	10¢ each.
Eggs	25¢ doz.
Butter	25¢ lb.
Ham	17¢ lb.
Sausage	10¢ lb.
Lard	12¢ lb.

When your son is idle, you can at least feel sure that he is not doing something you'll have to explain about to the neighbors.

The Kentucky

BOTH PHONES 548.

Matinee and Night

SATURDAY, March 2

THE BIG

Melo-Dramatic Feast.

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James Boys in MissouriA romantic Love Tale
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Wednesday Night, Feb. 27

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WITH

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A Beauty Chorus of

40 LADIES 40

The original production as played at the Iroquois theater when the terrible disaster in which the theater was burned, occurred.

Prices—25¢, 35¢, 50¢, 75¢ and \$1.00

Seats on sale Tuesday 9 a. m.

THEATRICAL NOTES**SHORT TALKS BY L. T. COOPER.****THE STOMACH**

My but peoples' stomachs do cause a lot of trouble. I offered to wager some doctor in St. Paul, Min., that 1-2 of all sick

ness is caused by the stomach. After I assured them that my medicine did nothing but put the stomach in shape and that they had spent a day listening to what people who

called on me had to say, they had to agree with me. They heard people come in and tell me that for years they had been near the grave with bright's disease, or lung trouble, or kidney complaint and all manner of diseases and that the Ne wDiscovery had cured them. Of course these people were mistaken, it was nothing but their stomachs. As a matter of fact when the stomach gives out most everything else is thrown out of order too.

When a person feels tired and dull and despondent, is loosing flesh and don't sleep well, has a poor memory, a bad taste in the mouth, a coated tongue, and other troubles he's liable to believe a lot of things are the matter with him. Nine chances to one it's his stomach. I've seen Cooper's New Discovery bring back health to too many people in just this shape to believe anything else. Here's a letter about it:

"I suffered for a long time without knowing just what was the matter with me. I seldom felt like eating. I lost greatly in weight. My digestion was extremely poor and where I did eat I invariably suffered afterward. I was constipated and frequently suffered from nerve racking, violent headaches. When I heard of what the Cooper remedies were doing for others I resolved to try them."

"Relief came with the first bottle. My appetite and digestion improved rapidly. I am no longer constipated nor do I have those dreadful headaches. I sleep well and am gaining flesh." C. H. Powell, 13 Harrison Addition, Duluth, Min.

We are selling immense quantities of these medicines and our customers express great satisfaction.

W. B. MCPHERSON.

probably the reason that they are often selected for the theme for stage productions, but in "The James Boys in Missouri," undoubtedly the best drama built about the lives of these famous bandits is offered. Truth is stranger than fiction and that is the reason that incidents, historically correct, from the lives of these brothers staged with wonderful effects constitutes one of the most sensational plays of the year. This production will appear here Saturday matinee and night.

RIVER NEWS**River Stages.**

Cairo	26.4	1.4	rise
Chattanooga	6.8	0.2	rise
Cincinnati	18.8	0.6	rise
Evansville	16.0	1.3	rise
Florence	4.2	0.5	rise
Johnsonville	7.6	0.7	rise
Louisville	7.3	0.5	rise
Mt. Carmel	5.9	0.1	fall
Nashville	23.3	3.8	rise
Pittsburg	3.9	0.6	rise
St. Louis	15.5	0.6	rise
Mt. Vernon	14.2	0.5	rise
Paducah	18.3	0.7	rise

The Mississippi river has claimed Capt. E. P. Grapevine. That Capt. Grapevine, once a noted pilot and master, fell to his death from the steamboat Frederick Hill in St. Louis Sunday his brother, Capt. W. H. Grapevine, who is very well known, does not doubt.

Tracks in the snow on the gang plank, one of them showing that a foot had slipped, and a hawser dangling at the boat's port bow are believed to indicate that the old riverman fell into the water while attempting to carry the line to shore.

For several years Capt. Grapevine has been employed as watchman on the Frederick Hill, a Missouri Pacific transfer boat. For 28 years he has been in the Missouri Pacific service, and at one time was master of transfers scheduled for Cairo this season.

Capt. Grapevine, who was 65 years old, came of a family well known in the river trade. In his younger days he was a pilot in the regular packet trade.

He was 22 years old when the civil war commenced and he was one of several St. Louis pilots who enlisted in the United States army for the dangerous service of maintaining the blockade in the lower Mississippi. In a battle in the Red River he stuck to his post until the wheel was carried from his hands by a solid shot. His wife died 17 years ago. He had no children.

Unless contrary advice is received, the Butcher will arrive in the morning from Nashville and leave at noon for Clarksville.

Another rise of .7 was registered in the river this morning, the stage coming up to 18.3. Same date last year the stage was 9.3. Rainfall was

40 inches with prospects of more. From now on through March unsettled weather is expected. Business at the wharf is fair.

Robert Moore and William Polsten left yesterday by rail for New Orleans where they will ship on ocean going vessels. Moore was engineer on the Lyda here for several years and Polsten came here recently from San Francisco, where he was an engineer on a sea vessel. The engineers put him on to river ways while he was here and the two young men ought to make good in the gulf.

J. M. St. John, engineer on the Reuben Dunbar, was hit on the right hand by a dog on the boat yesterday. A tramp dog took up with the boat at Nashville and Mr. St. John made a pet of him. The dog got into a fight yesterday with another dog and while he was separating them the dog bit him.

The Condor, a towboat from the lower river, has arrived to go on the ways for repairs.

Two of the boiler heads for the Dunbar arrived by express yesterday and the remainder of the fuses will arrive by boat this week.

The Joe Fowler arrived at 2 o'clock today from Evansville and left immediately on the return trip.

Fog and good business delayed the City of Memphis, which did not arrive until this morning from the Tennessee river. The Memphis will leave tomorrow evening.

The Nellie came up from Joppatowne last night after towing ties down.

Business was fair for the Dick Fowler in the Cairo trade this morning.

An alderman stated yesterday that it was probable a sixty foot strip of ground owned by the Illinois Central railroad on the river front would be purchased for wharf purposes.

The Chattanooga News says:

"Relief came with the first bottle. Traffic along the river is booming. Yesterday morning the John A. Paton arrived from Decatur with a very large cargo and also a good passenger list.

The Wheeler, inbound from Paducah, arrived shortly before noon today, and the captain reports a splendid trip, and also, which is more material, a good cargo and list of passengers. The service to and from this point is rapidly showing very large gains both in passenger and freight service, and the accommodations of the present run of boats is just about pushed to the limit. It is the intention of the company in the near future to install at least one other boat to ply between this point and Paducah.

Things that make a woman feel blue are apt to make a man "smile."

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Title	Composer
Aragonaise	Massenet
Barcarolle (June)	Tschakowsky
Canzonetta	Hollander
Cabaretta	Lack
Wedding March	Haydn
Mendelssohn	
I Love Thee, Opp. 44, No. 3	Grieg
Longing for Home, Opp. 117	Jungmann
Rustle of Spring	Sinding
Meleodie, Op. 8, No. 3	Paderewski
Melody in F	Rubinstein
Murmuring Zephyrs	Jensen
Myrtles, The	Wachs
Consolation	Durand
Dancing Spirits	Bohm
Die Meistersinger	Die Meistersinger
Farewell to the Piano	Wagner
Funeral March	Chopin
Gipsy Rondo	Haydn
Wedding March	Mendelssohn
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Myrtles	



MANHATTAN DAY

Thursday, February 28

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IDENTITY

NO REPORT TO BE MADE.

Bailey's Friends Win Victory in the Texas Case.

CONCEALED IN ORDER TO SECURE WORK ON RAILROAD.

Woman Claims to Be Widow of Fred A. Hunter, Whose Real Name Was Cushman.

Cecil Reed was appointed receiver of the estate of Fred A. Hunter pending the trial of a suit filed yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Henrietta Cushman, who claims to be the wife of the late Fred A. Hunter, an Illinois Central engineer, who died several weeks ago of pneumonia.

Mrs. Cushman alleges in her petition that she is the undivorced wife of Hunter, whose real name was Fred A. Cushman. The reason he changed his name is because of a serious wreck in Alabama which made it impossible for him to secure employment on other roads until his identity was concealed. They had been separated five years.

Hunter left all his estate to Lula White, and County Judge R. T. Lightfoot before the probating of the will appointed F. G. Rudolph administrator. Miss White came in with a petition in county court asking to be recognized as executrix, but the petition has not been acted on.

All funds by virtue of Judge Reed's orders have been turned over to receive Cecil Reed. The estate is not large, consisting of a \$1,500 insurance policy, a horse and buggy and some personal estate.

A formal renunciation of the will of Fred Hunter, alias Cushman, was filed by Henrietta Cushman in county court today. Yesterday a cross petition was filed by the wife to remove F. G. Rudolph as administrator of Hunter's estate. The renunciation is a mere legal formality.

Maxims of Br'er Williams.

I.

When Poverty come in de do,
Ef Love fly out de winder,
Dat's de very sort er love
You never order hinder!

II.

You can't stan' prosperity.
En trouble makes you flutter,
De very time you say "Hoorya,"
You drops yo' bread and butter!

III.

En heaven is too high fer you,
En o'ther place—too hot dat!
En of at las' you wins de race,
You dunno how you got dar!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Did Blaine Break Faith With Garfield?

One of the features of Ida M. Tarbell's tariff article in the March American Magazine, is a story which presents certain aspects of James G. Blaine's veracity. It comes in as a part of Miss Tarbell's lively narrative of the fight in Grant's time between high protectionists and tariff reformers over the reduction of war duties. Following are some of the men and events referred to in Miss Tarbell's spirited article: Horace Greeley, "Sunset" Cox, Horace White, Henry C. Carey David A. Wells, "Pigiron" Kelley, Senator Allison, Carl Schurz, John Sherman, the salt monopoly, the fortunes made in iron, the ironical nomination of Greeley, protection's great victory in Congress, and the panic of '73.

In 1870 Mr. Blaine was a candidate for re-election as Speaker. Unless he could appease the tariff reformers there was danger of their uniting with the Democrats to defeat him. Accordingly he asked the four most influential reformers to meet him secretly in New York. The four were William B. Allison, Horace White Charles Nordhoff, and General Brinkerhoff. There was a long discussion ending in a proposition from Mr. Blaine that if the reformers would permit him to be re-elected Speaker he would permit them to name the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, and give them a majority on it. The proposition was accepted and Mr. Blaine was asked to appoint Mr. Garfield.

There was no reason to suppose that Mr. Blaine would not keep his promise. Nevertheless the suspicion that he was "slippery" in politics was not uncommon, and the Free Trade League concluded to send General Brinkerhoff to Washington to see that the arrangement was carried out.

The rest of the story is told as follows by Miss Tarbell:

"As the day went on and the appointment promised were not made General Brinkerhoff felt more and more uneasy, but said nothing. Finally one day as he was on the floor of the House, Mr. Blaine sent a page to him asking him for an interview.

"He then called some one to the chair," says General Brinkerhoff, "and as he went out of the south door I went out of the north door, and went around and met him. He took me down to the basement and into a room he called his den. He then locked the door and went to a cupboard and brought out some refreshments, and we sat down at a little table."

"After awhile he told me he wanted to talk with me about the Ways and Means Committee. He took a slip of paper from a drawer and wrote down nine names and then turned it around to me to read. I saw that he kept his finger on the paper, and that he did not intend to let me take it away, and so I took a little time to study its make-up, and get it clearly in my memory. I saw at a glance that he was not carrying out his agreement, because Dawes was at the head as chairman, and not Garfield. I saw also as I looked over the list that a majority of the committee were not revenue reform men, although it was a combination calculated to deceive anyone not fully posted on individual records."

"There were only four men on his list who were not protectionists, and after discussing the matter a while he said, 'This is not a finality'

Many a man has managed to succeed in this world despite the advice that onlookers gave him.

HEALTH OFFICERS SEEK PHYSICIANS' HELP IN FIGHT AGAINST CONSUMPTION

The Kansas and Minnesota State Boards of Health have made a new move against tuberculosis. Letters have been mailed to both physicians and patients, requesting that the former co-operate with the board in its fight against consumption by supplying full information relative to each case that comes under their observation, and advising the latter as to the best known methods of treatment.

Among the instructions offered to tuberculosis patients are the following:

Men with consumption should not wear beard or mustache. Sleep alone. Keep the windows open day and night; fresh air is essential. Dress warmly, and don't be afraid of the cold. Eat plenty of nourishing food. Don't spit on the floors or in public places. Stay out of doors all you can; remember that sunshine kills the germs of consumption.

These are wise instructions, and should be observed by every one afflicted, as the most important duty is to get well. Colds and coughs should not be neglected, as colds inflame the lungs, and the cough is extremely wearing on the system.

An eminent authority on lung trouble says that the following simple formula will break up a cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable: Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)—one-half ounce; glycerine, two ounces; good whiskey, a half pint. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses every four hours. Great care should be exercised in securing pure ingredients, and, to avoid substitution, it is the best that they should be purchased separately and the mixture prepared by yourself. The Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) can be secured from any good prescription druggist in the original half-ounce vials, as purchased for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure). Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, of June 30, 1906, serial number 451. Prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, Ohio—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), which are put out under similar names and style of packages. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariably produce nausea, and never effect the desired result.

STEEL TIES

SAYD TO HAVE CAUSED WRECK ON PENNSYLVANIA.

Road Used Ties on Solicitation, But This May End Experiment With Innovation.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26—Although the Pennsylvania railroad continues to insist, in its statements for the public, that the wreck of the 18-hour flier near Johnstown on Friday night was caused by a broken brake hanger, the opinion is almost firmly fixed in railroad circles that the steers were to blame.

Railroad men who examined the damage to the roadbed assert this. So does the conductor of the flier. And that the company itself leans to the same view is shown by the fact that it has demanded that the Carnegie company make good on its claims for the new tie.

Still another indication that the Pennsylvania officials, far from believing the wreck was an act of providence, as they profess in public, privately blame the ties is the fact that Conductor M. W. Forbes of the flier yesterday reported the cause as follows:

"Cause of wreck, spreading rail."

This message was wired to Pittsburgh and Philadelphia headquarters from a little signal tower on the mountainside, near the scene of the crash. It was inadvertently allowed to be come public.

It is believed that the wreck of the flier signals the passing of the steel tie, yet only in the experimental stage. Its use by the Pennsylvania was at the solicitation of the makers.

ARE YOU RUNNING A LOSING RACE WITH THE CALENDAR?

Does every day record, in the office, a failure to quite "catch up" with that day's work?

Does every day witness, in the home, another failure to finish today's duties—because of the unfinished duties of yesterday?

Does every day record, in the store, a few more customers who "couldn't wait" to be served by over-busy clerks?

If any of these things are true you need "more help"—so that an immediate resort upon your part to the classified ads. will enable you to "catch up with the calendar" and to do today's things today.



"They tell me Wedderby leads a dog's life."

"That's a fact. I saw him going down street yesterday in the capacity of pacemaker to his wife's pet canine."

William Allen White on Roosevelt.

"Roosevelt is no braver than many another man, who has fallen in the struggle against Mammon. But he has moral vision * * * A broader education than any man has brought to the White House since Jefferson's day, a life unstained by vice of any kind, a clean mind, and a boyish heart, simple, confiding, just, have combined to keep Theodore Roosevelt's faith in God, and his belief in the common honesty of the common man unscared."

Thus writes William Allen White in his "Roosevelt: A Force for Righteousness," in the February McClure's. Successful contemporary portraiture is so rare an achievement that an article like this of Mr. White's merits unusual attention. Throughout the display the sureness of touch and soundness of intuition that have distinguished his earlier work; some of his passages indeed, seem inspired, so brilliantly do they fit it off. What, for instance, could be better than this:

"A middle-aged, middle-sized figure struggling against pudginess, simple, boyish, direct; impulsive for the right and intolerant of wrongs; human to the core, with his blind side for his friends and his sleepless eyes for his enemies—a group of gentlemen for whom he never has to blush.... a happy mixture of the cheerful idiot, the seer of visions, and the captain and crew of the 'Nancy Brigg'—a man who does the undisputed thing in such a buoyant way!"

Mr. White's analysis of Roosevelt's career, and "the tremendous effect of his precepts and his consistent example," is handled in this writer's most brilliant and able manner.

Domestic Bliss.



Mrs. Oldboy (after a slight difference of opinion)—Oh, if only I had been born in the days of chivalry!

Mrs. O.—Well, you came pretty near it.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

January, 1907.

1.....	3882	10.....	3808
2.....	3878	17.....	3874
3.....	3899	18.....	3899
4.....	3891	19.....	3898
5.....	3897	21.....	3890
6.....	3875	22.....	3877
7.....	3873	23.....	3844
8.....	3854	24.....	3882
9.....	3901	25.....	3804
10.....	3837	26.....	3846
11.....	3826	28.....	4299
12.....	3826	29.....	4239
13.....	3808	30.....	4107
14.....	31.....	31.....	4107
Total	105,612	Increase	199
Average for January, 1907....	3912	Average for January, 1906....	3713
Personally appeared before me, this Feb. 1, 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Jan., 1907, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.			

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.
My commission expires January
22, 1908.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.

The Sun is authorized to announce Charles Reed as a candidate for mayor, subject to any action of the Democratic party.

For City Assessor.

The Sun is authorized to announce the candidacy of Stewart Dick for the office of city assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Daily Thought.

"No matter what one's aspiration may be, it never will be attained without perspiration."

POLITICS AND SCHOOLS.

Politics, the kind that exploits a public school for party advantage, or personal favorites, threatens to tear down all that has been accomplished in three years in the Paducah schools, particularly the High school. Both parties have now had a trial at running the schools. It is time the citizens were taking a hand in their management. How parents can acquiesce in conditions that are harmful to their growing, developing children, is beyond the understanding of one, who has seen the same parents anxiously inquiring into the personnel of lively stable attendants, where they keep the family horse.

There is too much playing of politics; too much vindictiveness, that asserts itself regardless of the effects on discipline and honor; too much covering of defects in the system.

The present condition of things was foretold to many by the pre-election attitude of the members. They were selected, secretly to be sure, in opposition to the present administration. That is all very well, if so it must be; but that opposition should not have asserted itself to the detriment of the schools. Had the board been of that composition of which good school boards are formed, it would have bided its time and then performed its will when the hour arrived, instead of heaping ignominy on the superintendent, endeavoring to cripple him in the performance of his duty, and destroying discipline among the principals and teachers, and thereby setting an example to the children, which must be reflected in their attitude toward the next superintendent, in their homes and in whatever position they may hereafter be placed. The members by casting aspersions on unnamed teachers and principals have bred scandal in the schools, all of which must have been greedily discussed by the children. The trustees apparently did not consider that every open attack on the superintendent during his administration was an attack on the schools, from which they never can recover until the children affected are graduated. Children are prone to follow examples, especially bad ones, and the school trustees have set them some notable ones.

It is this view of the case that has dictated the policy of THE SUN all through this unfortunate schism in Chicago Record-Herald.

the schools. In the half dozen times THE SUN has mentioned the trouble editorially, it can be truthfully said that this paper has taken no sides in personal controversies. THE SUN has raised its voice in protest, only when the discipline and the interests of the schools were assailed by the combatants. Whether Superintendent Lieb is right or wrong, he is superintendent of the schools, and personal attacks on him in his official capacity coming from those in authority over him has created a condition in the schools, which parents scarcely can realize, and the chief condition is in the minds of the impossible children, who are drinking in the progress of the wrangle, and forming mental conclusions that will affect them for life.

There is an election approaching when one-half the school board will be elected. We have had enough of politics in schools. We do not care whether the next board is Democratic or Republican, or both, or neither; but we do care whether it is composed of men whose sole purpose in accepting the office is to safeguard the schools and look first to the interest of pupils instead of to the interest of their friends. There should be a non-partisan board elected, and then when the legislature convenes, an amendment to the charter should be secured, providing for a school election every two years instead of every year, so that the schools will not be thrown in annual confusion by the exigencies of party politics and political campaigns.

Sub-treasuries in St. Louis and Chicago both have been robbed, just like banks, only of larger sums than any minor employee of a bank could steal. These instances only go to show that bad men will steal, whether employed by the government or a private institution, and bad men are more likely to get into positions of trust through political influences than through promotion by people, whose direct financial interests will be affected by their conduct.

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These are plainly oratorical exaggerations. Though gigantic combinations of capital have acquired too much power over the people, the country's peril is purely imaginary, unless the people themselves have undergone a great change. The struggle is one that can be judged correctly only by taking into view long historical periods. We know that in the past democracy has overcome all dangers, that the development of the combinations which the senator has in mind is recent development, that it has caused already a popular uprising that is checking the evils of corporate management, and that just at the present time it is the corporations that appear to be in peril. The wrath that has been aroused against them has become so menacing that the question now is whether radicalism may not go so far as to cause the country some injury not through a submission to corporate wealth but through a persecution that may have a disastrous effect upon our industries.

Actually it is becoming incumbent on many who have favored and who still favor a fair control of the corporations for the protection of popular rights to issue warnings against the unthinking, reckless corporation baiters who are for inciting legislation. Obviously, therefore, the day has gone by for those wild alarms in which the senator indulged.

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Date For It

Santo Domingo Treaty Is Passed By
Senate Almost By Unanimous

Vote.

MATTERS OF LEGISLATION

Washington, Feb. 26.—The senate today passed the agricultural appropriation bill, carrying nearly \$10,000,000; the postoffice appropriation bill with \$210,000,000; the pension appropriation bill with \$145,000,000, and the bill authorizing the establishment of an agricultural bank in the Philippines.

The senate also passed a bill granting service pensions to army nurses. Those disqualified to earn a livelihood and have reached the age of 62 are to receive \$12 a month; at 70, \$15, and at 75, \$20.

The ship subsidy secured marked impetus today in the house. The rule was reported by Dalzell from the committee on rules in the shape of a resolution providing that the compromise bill shall be considered with debate limited to five hours and that the final vote shall be taken not later than next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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BUDGET FIGURES

(Concluded from First Page.)

\$1.85, or 20 cents higher, the income would have been increased, approximately, \$18,000, making the income on last year's assessment at that rate, \$166,384.15.

To find the income for this year at that rate, the income from the \$449,373, may be added to the \$166,384.15, making \$174,609.15, estimated total income from property tax in 1907.

From other sources in round numbers \$80,000 may be anticipated bringing the total estimated revenue to \$254,609.15, to cover a budget carrying \$257,258.

Excellent Collections.

It will be seen by comparison that Paducah has been collecting far in excess of the 90 per cent allowed by Lexington, Covington and Newport, and taking last year's collections as a basis gives a more optimistic color to the situation than discounting ten per cent for delinquents and errors. It may be that the estimate of \$80,000 from sources other than ad valorem taxes may be too high, because the hospital and police court have both been falling below last year's record in collections for the first two months. On the other hand the taxbook supervisors have been making an unusually careful examination of the books, eliminating double assessments, and discrepancies that have accumulated year by year, and this year's assessment should be consequently accurate.

The collections for last year and previous years reflect great credit on the energy, persistency and capability of City Treasurer Dorian and City Auditor Kirkland, who make a record far ahead of similar officers in sister cities.

The finance committee will meet Friday and probably Mayor Yeiser will bring up the tax rate question for solution early in March.

Sure to Get Printed.

Algy—Is he doing much literary work now?

Reggie—Just writing a few patent medicine testimonials.

MOTHER TO SON'S AID; IS SLAIN

Killed As She Tries to Bring Peace Between Husband and Youth.

Kansas City, Feb. 26.—Mrs. J. Oscar Richardson, wife of a stationary engineer rushed between her son and husband in the role of a peacemaker at their home in Rosedale, Kan., near here, today, and was stabbed to the heart by Richardson. The couple had been quarreling when the son interfered, taking the mother's part. Richardson then attacked the son with a knife, when the mother interfered.

Well, do you think I have been working with this for an hour not to have known that?" the enraged mechanician blurted out, and taking a couple of cans of gasoline he departed for the nearest store where the fluid could be found.

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There are but few people who have not heard of Osteopathy, also of some of its achievements. But there are far too many who have accredited it with being good for only those conditions from which they have been cured, or which have come under their observation. Not infrequently there is mutual surprise when one who was cured of rheumatism meets another who has been cured of asthma or constipation. This is a homely, but very true illustration.

Personally, I have cured chronic cases of constipation, rheumatism, asthma, nervousness, neuralgia and headaches for people whom you know well, and the value of the Osteopathic treatment is but coming generally known in Paducah, as it should be.

I should like to talk with you at any time about your particular case, and know I can cite you to some of your friends who will attest to what the treatment has done for them in similar diseases. Come to my office, 516 Broadway, or phone 1407 any time from 9 to 12 or 2 to 5 p.m.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Cream of Celery and Cronton.
Red Snapper and Court Bouillon.
Pommes Persilode.
Roast of Prime Beef au jus
or
Chicken Liver Dumplings.
With Noodles and Fine Herbs,
or
Pork Chops, Soute Strobsbousance.
Mashed Potatoes, String Beans.
Carrots with Peas.
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A practical use for the new fashioned summer hat.

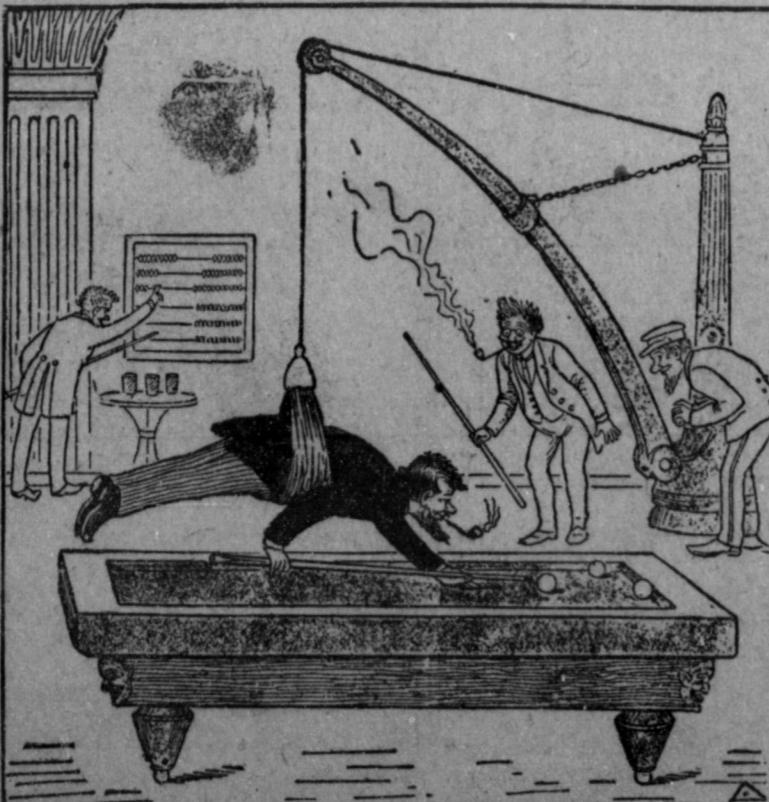
TWO FINE TRIMMED HATS TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

We will display Saturday the two beautiful trimmed hats which will be given away on our opening day. Each lady calling at our store will be presented with a ticket free. Come while they last. Mrs. Chapin, 216 Broadway.

In Small Doses.
Little bit o' sightin'.
All the way along.
Yet Life to Life replin';
A sign is half a song!"
—Atlanta Constitution.

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To make those billiard balls go "pop,"
This player had to get on top,
And so he rigged a crane to lift
Himself. What rare inventive gift!
To get on top in any line,
Don't stand around the floor and pine;
Lift up a crane; 'twill be surprising
How big a lift is ADVERTISING.

PEOPLE
AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. Loeb to Entertain for Mrs. Sydneay Loeb.

Mrs. Reuben Loeb has issued invitations for a reception on Monday, March 4, at her home on Broadway, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Sydneay Loeb.

Mayfield Box Party for Visitor Popular in Paducah.

Tonight at the production given by the Gertrude Ewing company Mrs. K. P. Hall, of Hotel Hall, has engaged the two boxes at the Unique and will give a box party in honor of Miss Hal Richmond, of Clinton, who is the charming guest of Miss Mayme Moorman. Those in the party will be: man.—Mayfield Messenger.

Eastern Star Reception This Afternoon.

The Ladies of the Eastern Star are receiving this afternoon from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock in their lodge rooms at the Fraternity building, in honor of Mrs. Sarah H. Terry, of Louisville, worthy matron for the state of Kentucky. The reception is a very delightful affair, the rooms are prettily decorated, and light refreshments are served. After the reception there will be an inspection of the Esther Chapter, Eastern Star by Mrs. Terry.

Mrs. Terry arrived today at noon from the south, and is the guest of Mrs. Harry Johnston and Mrs. Anna Wright during her stay.

Delphic Club.

The Delphic club met this morning at the club room in the Carnegie Library. An interesting program covering two morning's regular work was carried out. Delightful papers were given by Mrs. W. W. Powell, Mrs. Frank L. Scott, Mrs. George C. Wallace, Mrs. D. A. Yeiser and Miss Kathleen Whitefield.

The meeting of the club next Tuesday will be a business session and the regular program will be dispensed with. The officers for the next year will be elected and the work for the year will be decided.

Box Party and Luncheon Tonight.

Mr. Herbert L. Wallerstein will be the host of a box party this evening at The Kentucky theater at the performance of "The Vanderbilt Cup," where two of Mr. Wallerstein's latest compositions will be sung by Miss Alice Dovey and Mr. David Andrade, of the company.

After the performance Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein will entertain the party at luncheon at their home on North Fourth street in honor of Miss Dovey, Mr. Andrade and Mr. W. H. Pickens, manager of "The Vanderbilt Cup" company.

The entire family of Stationman Bud Harvey, of Fire company No. 2, is ill of the grip.

Judge Bunk Gardner, of Mayfield, was in the city last night. He has been in the eastern portion of the district in the interest of his campaign for railroad commissioner. Mrs. Joe Bonduant is recovering from the grip.

Mr. R. B. Phillips is out after a ten days' illness.

Miss Jennie Wire, of Mayfield, is visiting in the city.

Mr. Ell Guthrie has gone to New York to buy goods.

Mr. Sydney Loeb and bride will arrive the last of this week from the

east where they have been on their wedding tour.

Traveling Engineer Lloyd Grimes, of the Illinois Central, was here yesterday.

Mr. Robert L. Reeves, president of the First National bank, will return today from the St. Louis, where he inspected the completed plans for the building at Third street and Broadway.

Mr. James A. Glauber went to Nashville today to attend a stock show.

Miss Mary Piles, of Fulton, returned home yesterday after visiting Miss Allie Utterback. Next Friday she will leave with her parents for Seattle Wash., to reside, her father being brother of United States Senator Samuel Piles, of that state.

Samuel Winsied will return tomorrow to Bell Buckle Tenn., to school, having come home on account of illness.

Mrs. George Langstaff has returned from Louisville after visiting Miss Lucy Barrett, of Louisville.

Mr. John R. Scott returned from Nashville yesterday, after having been away several weeks.

Mr. Albert Husk left for Bowling Green last night to attend the birthday of his father, who is seriously ill. Mrs. J. C. Flournoy went to New Orleans last evening.

Senator Wheeler Campbell went to Edaville this morning.

Mrs. E. W. Fayette, of New Albany, Ind., who has been visiting her brother, Mr. George Warfield, to Elizabethtown, Ill., this morning to visit.

Mr. Eddie Vincent, formerly of this city but now of the Cairo road, is seriously ill at the home of his mother, Mrs. Robert Chambers, on the Cairo Pike.

Mr. W. M. Berry formerly of the Belvedere cafe, but now of Jackson, Tenn., returned to that city this morning after a brief visit in this city with friends.

Mr. John Cobb, of Broadway, is recovering from an attack of grip. His right ear was affected.

Mr. H. McCourt, general superintendent of southern lines of the Illinois Central, passed through the city last night en route to Nashville. Master Mechanic R. J. Turnbull accompanied him as far as Princeton.

Mr. Oscar B. Jones, of San Bernardino, Cal., arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Stutz on Jefferson street. Mr. Jones has been living in California five years.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Warren, 902 Jefferson street, a girl baby.

Misses Bernice Frost, Kate Wire, Lucy Thomas, Jennie Wire, Teddie Key and Mr. Ike Sullivan went to Paducah Monday to witness the production of the "Vanderbilt Cup" to attend at the Kentucky.—Mayfield Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith have returned to Mayfield after a visit in Paducah.

Ernest Reynolds spent Sunday in Paducah.

Mrs. Joseph H. Fowler, of 619 Kentucky avenue, is recovering from an attack of grip.

Mr. R. Storey has been removed to his home 1522 Broad street, after having one of his legs amputated at Riverside hospital.

Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Lovett is in the city today on business.

Mr. E. Rehkof shows improvement in his condition today.

Mrs. B. A. Long, of Mayfield, arrived today to visit Mrs. John Scott, for a few days.

Mrs. Bettie F. Sherwin, Miss Georgia Sherwin and Mr. John F. Sherwin left this afternoon for Asheville, N. C., where Mr. Sherwin and his mother will remain through March. Miss Sherwin will not stay so long.

Mrs. A. C. Clark left yesterday for the east to buy millinery.

STRICKEN AT LABOR.

Ganther, Novelist and Playwright, Is Dead.

New York, Feb. 26.—Archibald Claverking Ganther, publisher, novelist and playwright, died suddenly Saturday night from apoplexy in his home here. He had not been ill and was engaged in writing the last pages of the manuscript of a play when he was fatally stricken. His first successful novel, "Mr. Barnes, of New York," went through edition after edition, and more than a million copies have been sold here and in England. In the dramatic field Mr. Ganther's best known work is "Prince Karl."

DIES OF NICOTINE.

Connecticut Boy Smokes 70 Year Old Pipe Secretly.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 26.—Guy Tanner, aged 6 years, is dead of nicotine poisoning. Death came with violent convulsions. As an examination showed unmistakable signs of poison, the medical examiner, Dr. A. A. Crane, returned a certificate of death by nicotine poisoning, caused by a pipe seventy years old, which the boy had used clandestinely for weeks. His father, Gilbert Tanner, and his grandfather had used the pipe all their lives.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

The trial of the injunction suit brought by the Southern Peanut company to restrain Police Judge D. A. Cross from hearing a charge of nuisance made against it by John Holmes, Mike Williams, et al., will be taken up at the regular civil term of court in April.

County Court.

Henry Hovekamp, J. M. Faulkner and Sol Riley have been named appraisers of the estate of Betsy Anu Matthews.

Marriage License.

Harry Miller to Lillie Coble. Nathan Ward to Mary Chester.

Deeds Filed.

Henry Beach to Karl Holt, property in the county, \$1 and other considerations.

Police Court.

Rodney Perkins, Ed Brown, Dora Berry, Beulah Caldwell, Herman Lander and Minnie Wynn, colored, charged with robbing Bud McKnight, colored, of \$25 were presented in police court this morning and after several continuances the two latter were held over and recognized. The evidence consumed over an hour and when sifted down showed McKnight to have been left in the house of the Wynn woman with Herman Lander and the Wynn woman by the others. He was drunk and when he awoke he missed his money. By some strange coincidence \$15 alleged to have been left at a local saloon by McKnight was discovered after warrants were issued, but the other \$10 was missing.

Other cases: Chill Smith, disorderly conduct, \$5 and costs; Willie Murt, Fred Thompson and Douglas Randolph, colored, disorderly conduct, \$10 and costs each.

MILK AND CREAM COST HIGHER.

Census Bulletin Gives Figures From Reports of 1905.

Washington, Feb. 26.—That the cost of milk and cream has advanced enormously since 1900 as the result of the curtailment of supply to the factory and the increasing market in the large cities is shown in a census bulletin for the year 1905. The cost of cream increased 247.9 and milk 3.7 per cent.

According to the statement, there were 8,926 establishments engaged in the butter, cheese and condensed milk industry in 1905, with an aggregate capital of \$47,255,566, and employing 15,557 wage earners, who received \$7,412,937 in wages. The cost of materials was \$142,020, 277, and the products were valued at \$168,182,789.

At the census of 1905 there were 10,051 merchant flour and grist mills in the United States; total capital, \$265,117,434; employed, 39,110 wage earners, paid \$19,522,196 in wages, consumed \$619,971,161 worth of materials, and manufactured products to the value of \$713,033,395. These figures represent an increase of over 6 per cent. in number of establishments, 40 per cent. in capital and 42 per cent. in value of products.

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Use the World's Fair Prize Mixtures Lawn Grass Seed, nothing better. Sold only by

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I am ready to take any sort of job, big or little. Have had experience and will handle all work with the highest possible speed consistent with thorough methods. Address or call Edw. Gidley, phone 1073.

FOR SALE—Harahan addition: Vacant lot 66x165, corner Sixteenth and Madison, nicely drained, \$1,100. Terms satisfactory to purchaser. Telephone 127, H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg.

FOR SALE—North Side, high class residence property, lot 77x173, close to business section, \$3,000. H. C. Hollins, Real Estate and Rentals, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

FOR SALE—Clark street near Eleventh, four houses renting for \$27 per month, \$2,000. Terms arranged. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

FOR SALE—North Side; two-room house on 40 foot lot, boxed and weatherboarded, nicely papered. All outdoors. H. C. Hollins, Real Estate and Rentals, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

All sums of \$5.00 and up 60 days will be given.

J. B. GARBER,
730 Jefferson.

Plucky Teacher on Duty.

Miss Kate White of the Eighth grade departmental work, who fell yesterday morning at the Washington building and broke her left wrist, returned to her school as soon as her wrist was bandaged and taught through the afternoon. She is back at her work today, although suffering much pain and inconvenience from the fracture.

In 1812 people died of the plague at Constantinople at the rate of over 11,000 a week. In all 144,000 perished.

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Fur 10 cents
Hart haint got
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LOST—Plain Gold Locket with initials "M. V. L.", between Cochran apartments and Kentucky theater. Return to this office and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Excellent warehouse property on N. C. tracks 165 feet and fronting 100 feet on street, including 11 room house with outbuildings and one frame business house, \$2,650. H. C. Hollins, Real Estate and Rentals, Telephone 127.

SEND your clothes to the Faubus Pressing club, 302½ Broadway. High & Browder, proprietors. Bots 1507.

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WANTED—Houseman, one who understands the care of horses. Apply to W. F. Bradshaw, 1520 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Six-horse power 500 volt Jenny Motor in good running order; also 2 horse stake wagon, first-class order. Apply 127 and 129 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Two brick store houses, Eleventh and Broadway, one two-story brick business house, Thirteenth and Clay. Paducah Brewing company.

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It provides baby with the necessary fat and mineral food for healthy growth.

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132 South Fourth.

What We Know About Mars. A Martian plain 50 miles in diameter would appear in a telescope about as large as the dot on the printed letter 'i'. Even a city as visit as London could not be seen," says Waldemar Kaempffert in the March McClure's, in his noteworthy article, "What We Know About Mars." In simple language, without recourse to the technical phraseology of science, he tells us of the marvels the scientists have laboriously discovered through years of study and effort.

A Woman's Health

Is a heritage too sacred to be experimented with. For her peculiar and delicate ailments only medicines of known composition and which contain no alcohol, narcotics, or other harmful or habit-forming drugs should be employed. The one medicine which fulfills all these requirements is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy with a record of over forty years of cures to recommend it; a remedy, the makers of which print its formula on every bottle-wrapper and attest its completeness and correctness under oath; a remedy devised and adapted to woman's delicate constitution by an educated physician—an experienced specialist in woman's diseases; a remedy, every ingredient of which has received the written endorsement of the most eminent medical writers of all the several schools of practice for the cure of woman's peculiar diseases; a remedy which has more bona-fide cures to its credit than any other sold by druggists for woman's special requirements. It is not given away in the form of "trial bottles" to be experimented with, but is sold at a fair price by all dealers in medicines.

Delicate, weak, nervous women should especially shun the use of alcoholic medicines which, from their stimulating and exhilarating effects may seem, for a time, to do good, but which from the inevitable effects of the alcohol in shrinking up the red corpuscles of the blood are sure to do great and lasting harm in the long run. Besides they beget a craving for stimulants which is most deplorable.

Only invigorating and nerve strengthening effects can follow the use of this famous medicine for women. It can not possibly do harm in any state or condition of the system. It has been carefully adapted to woman's needs by an experienced physician—a specialist in their diseases. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

If a woman has bearing down, or dragging pains, low down in the abdomen, or pelvis, backache, frequent headaches, dizzy or fainting spells, is nervous and easily startled, has gnawing feeling in stomach, sees imaginary floating specks, or spots before her eyes, has melancholia, or "blues," or a weakening disagreeable drain from pelvic organs, she can make no mistake by resorting to the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It will invigorate and tone up the whole system and especially the pelvic organs.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native American medicinal roots and is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the female system.

As a powerful invigorating tonic, "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For over-worked, "worn-out," run-down, debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop girls," house-keepers, nursing mothers, and stamps. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

NO SPECULATION SAYS HARRIMAN

Denies Charges in Reference to Alton Deal

Point Raised As To Right of Commission To Inquire Into Certain Transactions.

GOES INTO SPECIFIC DETAIL

New York, Feb. 26.—E. H. Harriman, master of the Union Pacific system spent the day in recital of portions of the intimate history of the financial operations of himself and associates before the Interstate Commerce Commission. The counsel for the government made a particular attack upon the reorganization and financing of the Alton railroad by the Harriman syndicate and their action which with a challenge by the counsel for the railroads to the right of the Interstate Commerce Commission to inquire into private transactions of an individual, constituted the two chief events of the day's proceedings.

By direction of counsel Harriman declined to tell what proportion or the preferred stock of the Alton, sold to the Union Pacific, belonged to him individually and the way was paved for taking the question into the federal courts.

Limitations of Inquiry Raised.

The point raised involves the material limitation upon inquisitorial power of the commission and is of serious importance to the whole question of the Interstate Corporation investigation. There was an effort to show by Harriman's testimony and records of the company that there had been enormous inflation of the stock securities and liabilities of the Alton; that the Harriman syndicate had taken unfair profits by declaring a dividend of 30 per cent from the proceeds of the first sale of bonds amounting to \$40,000,000; that the syndicate had sold itself the bonds at an unreasonable low figure, only to resell them at an enormous profit; that the Harriman syndicate had in the Alton capitalized losses of former stockholders of the road, and money which had been spent by the old management for betterments over a period of ten years, and already charged to operating expenses; that the books of the company had been doctored and that for an increase of stock and liabilities from roughly \$40,000,000 to about \$116,000,000 there was nothing to show except the expenditure of \$22,000,000 in improvements on the property.

Harriman Enters Denial.

Harriman's testimony was a denial of all the charges and towards the end of the afternoon he made an extended explanation and defense of the entire transactions which he contended was fully justified by conditions and circumstances of the time, and which he asserted had been conducted entirely in the open.

Harriman identified a statement prepared by Controller Mahl, showing that the value of stocks acquired by the Union Pacific and the Oregon Short Line since July last amounted to \$131,000,000.

Harriman testified that the purchase of the Union Pacific in Baltimore and Ohio amounted to \$45,000,000, and were to be paid for in March and September.

The inquiry developed the fact that after the decision of the supreme court of the United States dissolving the Northern Securities company the interest of the Union Pacific company in that corporation was returned to them in shares of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern company. These subsequently were sold, as Mr. Harriman explained, because the revenues derived from them were limited, and the proceeds were invested in stock of the Illinois Central Railroad company, the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe company and the Baltimore and Ohio company.

After Smash-Up.

"In the first place," said Mr. Harriman, "We have as the result of the Northern Pacific purchase \$82,000,000 of Northern Securities stock at a cost of about \$79,000,000. Our annual report and our statements all show that. Then we were forced to take, by the decision of the supreme court unjustly—it may have been legal—Great Northern, which we did not want, and a lesser amount of Northern Pacific than we had deposited with the Northern Securities, and for which we received the Northern Securities stock. At the time that stock, the Great Northern, and the Northern Pacific was given to us, it had a market value of about \$100,000,000. I will go back just a minute. We had subscribed in the meantime to \$3,000,000 of Great Northern stock, which had been offered to the stockholders, making the total cost of whatever

Great Northern and Northern Pacific we had about \$82,000,000.

Sold at an Advance.

"Instead of disposing of it at that time we held it until the market price increased in value to somewhere near \$145,000,000 to \$150,000,000. We sold some of it gradually as it went up, but at that value the returns from the Northern Pacific and Great Northern were less than 3 per cent on the stock that we held. Therefore, we concluded that it was better to sell these stocks and invest the same money in other securities that would give up greater return."

Chicago and Alton Purchase.

Following the inquiry, Mr. Harriman was questioned respecting the purchase and reorganization of the Chicago and Alton company in 1901. Mr. Milburn, of Mr. Harriman's counsel, objected to this line of inquiry on the ground that it did not fall within the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"Much depended upon who fixed the market price of stocks in such transactions as that just named," said Chairman Knapp.

"If men could fix the market price and then sell their own stock at the price, it was a transaction properly to be inquired into. Mr. Harriman has said that he and his associates fixed the price for the Chicago and Alton stock as a committee."

"Do you intend us to understand, Mr. Milburn, that you hold this commission has no right to ask whether Mr. Harriman was not himself an owner and seller of a part of that stock?"

Mr. Milburn replied that he thought such a question quite improper.

After some further discussion the commission withheld its decision on this point before proceeding with the inquiry respecting the sale of the Chicago and Alton stock to the Union Pacific.

No Transactions Speculative.

Throughout this examination Mr. Harriman insisted that none of these transactions were speculative.

"I do not wish to give the impression that we have been speculating," he remarked, as Mr. Kellogg pressed him for replies concerning the purpose of the acquisition of stock of the Illinois Central, the Baltimore and Ohio, the Chicago and Alton and other roads. "They are for income investment of the proceeds of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific," said the witness.

"Are they for permanent investment or do you expect to sell them again?" asked Mr. Kellogg.

"I have no expectations about it," said Mr. Harriman. "I never thought of that; it never crossed my mind; it is for the purpose of receiving six million and a half dollars a year instead of three million and a half," declared Mr. Harriman.

Harriman said he met the late President Cassatt, of the Pennsylvania railroad, in August or September at Bar Harbor and discussed the purchase of the Baltimore and Ohio. He did not think he discussed the price with President Cassatt. There were no conditions with Kuhn, Loeb & Co., as to the purchase of the Baltimore and Ohio, and no outside understanding. It was a clean transaction. It was a continuous line through other companies.

New York Life Transaction.

Harriman denied knowledge of or participation in the sale of \$10,000,000 of the bonds of the Chicago and Alton at 96 to the New York Life Insurance company.

Hint.

A widow in half morning Doth by that sign confess That she is half a mind to—nay It's up to you to guess.

—Puck.

Success is not only getting there, but getting there ahead of the other fellow.

The only way to make the average man appreciate anything is to take it away from him.

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Gold Shell Crowns.....\$3.50

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DENTIST.

Sixth and Broadway.

STATE MAY FIX

FREIGHT RATES

Decision of Supreme Court of United States

Railroad Wins in Important Case From South With Mill Men—Long Contention Settled.

RIGHT OF APPEAL CHANGED.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The supreme court of the United States today decided the case of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad company vs. the railroad commission of Texas, involving state freight rates, favorably to the state.

Changed by New Law.

Washington, Feb. 26.—In deciding the case of the Texas Pacific Railroad company vs. the Cotton Oil mills at Abilene and Cisco, Tex., favorably to the railroad company, the supreme court of the United States today held the common law right of individuals to make complaint to the courts against railroads for discrimination, which existed before the enactment of the interstate commerce law had been destroyed by that enactment. The court therefore held that complaints must be made through the interstate commerce commission.

Upholds Secretary of War.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The case of the Union Bridge company of Pittsburgh vs. the United States, involving the authority of the secretary of war to compel the alteration of the bridge in the interest of navigation, was decided by the supreme court of the United States today against the company.

TOBACCO PRICES.

Dark Tobacco Association Fixes 1906 Schedule.

Clarksville, Tenn., Feb. 26.—The following are the prices fixed on all grades of tobacco of the 1906 crop by the Dark Tobacco Protective association, and no tobacco will be sold by the association for less than the prices named; and all tobacco pledged to the association will be sold:

Italian—Grade A, \$17 per 100 lbs.; grade B, \$15; grade C, \$13; grade C-1, \$11; low grade C, \$9.50.

Austrian—Grade A, \$17.75; grade B-1, \$15.50; grade B-2, \$13.50; grade C-1, \$12.50; grade C-2, \$11.50.

French—Grade A, light, \$11.50; grade B, light, \$9.00; grade BC, \$9; grade C, \$8.50; low grade C, \$8; grade A, heavy, \$12; grade B, heavy, \$9.75; grade C, heavy, \$9.

Spanish—Grade A, leaf, \$11; grade B, leaf, \$9.50; grade C, \$8.50; low grade (trash), \$6; lugs, common, \$6.25; medium, \$6.75; good, \$7.50; fine, \$7.60.

African and Ballers—Common, \$9; medium, \$8; good, \$10; fine, \$12.

Spinners—Fine, \$14; good, \$12; medium, \$10.50; common, \$9.50; nubbins, \$9.

Cuban—Pappy, \$20; fine, \$16; good, \$15; medium, \$14; common, \$13.

Snuff leaf—Fine, \$12; good, \$11; medium, \$10; common, \$9.

NEW CAPITAL IN CALIFORNIA.

Berkeley Seems to Be in Favor on Account of Sacramento's Inaccessibility.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—Many members of the state legislature who came from Sacramento yesterday to inspect Berkeley as a possible new state capital declare that the senate and assembly will agree to transfer the capital to the university town across the bay. Whether the people will approve this is uncertain. San Francisco, Alameda and Los Angeles counties favor Berkeley because of its better geographical position. Sacramento is hard to reach and it has no advantages as a capital, having poor hotel facilities and bad train connections.

Not Prepared.

Mother, may I go out to skate?

No, my darling Sue.

Postpone it, my dear, till we can get

Some arica for you.

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If you would cause a woman's heart to ache, aim at the object of her affections.

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Uric acid is a part of the body's waste, and is being produced by the tissues all over your body all the time. If your blood is weakened by cold, injury, infection, or any other cause, or if you eat more—particularly meat—than your tissues can use, the waste matter is not thrown out through the kidneys fast enough, and uric acid accumulates. One of the world's greatest scientists, Alexander Haig, A. M., M. D. Oxon, F. R. C. P., of England, says:

'Every man who eats ordinary diet with meat twice a day, will, by the time he is 35 or 40, have accumulated 300 to 400 grains (weight) of uric acid in his tissues, and be subject to chronic rheumatism.'

Once uric acid sand has a hold, your blood unaided cannot remove it. **YOU MUST GIVE IT LIFE PLANT!** LIFE PLANT is Nature's own weapon against uric acid. Given LIFE PLANT, which has the power of dissolving uric acid sand, your blood will thoroughly clear your body of the cause of rheumatism and other uric acid diseases. Thousands of unsolicited testimonials prove what LIFE PLANT will do. Read this:

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Stella—"Did you ever see a wolf in sheep's clothing?"

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THE Masquerader

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

CHAPTER XVIII.

HAT night for almost the first time since he had adopted his dual role Loder slept ill. He was not a man over whom imagination held any powerful sway. His doubts and misgivings seldom ran to speculation upon future possibilities. Nevertheless, the fact that, consciously or unconsciously, he had adopted a new attitude toward Eve came home to him with unpleasant force during the hours of darkness, and long before the first hint of daylight had slipped through the heavy window curtains he had arranged a plan of action—a plan wherein, by the simple method of altogether avoiding her, he might soothe his own conscience and safeguard Chilcoite's domestic interests.

It was a satisfactory if a somewhat negative arrangement, and he rose next morning with a feeling that things had begun to shape themselves. But chance sometimes has a disconcerting knack of foreshadowing even our best planned schemes. He dressed slowly and descended to his solitary breakfast with the pleasant sensation of having put last night out of consideration by the turning over of a new leaf, but scarcely had he opened Chilcoite's letters, scarcely had he taken a cursory glance at the morning's newspaper than it was borne in upon him that not only a new leaf, but a whole sheaf of new leaves, had been turned in his prospects by a hand infinitely more powerful and arbitrary than his own. He realized within the space of a few moments that the leisure Eve might have been tempted to devote to her, was no longer his to dispose of, being already demanded of him from a quarter that allowed of no refusal.

His salvation pleased Loder. With not of acquiescence he crossed the office to the brisk fire that burned in the grate.

For a minute or two Lakeley worked steadily, occasionally breaking the quiet by an unintelligible remark or a vigorous stroke of his pencil. At last he dropped the paper with a gesture of satisfaction and leaned back in his chair.

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We had a regular prophesying of the whole business at Bramfitt's; the great Fraide looked in for five minutes. I went on with him to the club afterward and was there when the news came in. "Twas a great night!"

Loder's face lighted up. "I can imagine it," he said, with an unusual touch of warmth.

Lakeley watched him intently for a moment. Then with a quick action he leaned forward and rested his elbows on the desk.

"It's going to be something more than imagination for you, Chilcoite," he said impressively. "It's going to be solid earnest!" He spoke rapidly and with rather more than his usual shrewd decisiveness; then he paused to see the effect of his announcement.

Loder was still studying the flaring poster. At the other's words he turned sharply. Something in Lakeley's voice, something in his manner, arrested him. A tinge of color crossed his face.

"Reality?" he said. "What do you mean?"

For a further space his companion watched him, then with a rapid movement he tilted back his chair.

"Yes," he said. "Yes; old Fraide's instincts are never far out. He's quite right. You're the man!"

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everywhere diffused was making itself felt. Loder smiled to himself as his eyes fell on the day's placards with their uncompromising headings and passed onward from the string of gay-painted carts drawn up to receive their first consignment of the paper to the troop of eager newsboys passing in and out of the big swing doors with their piled up bundles of the early edition, and with a renewed thrill of anticipation and energy he passed through the doorway and ran upstairs.

Passing unchallenged through the long corridor that led to Lakeley's office, he caught a fresh impression of action and vitality from the click of the tape machines in the subeditor's office, and a glimpse through the open door of the subeditors themselves, each occupied with his particular task; then without time for further observation he found himself at Lakeley's door. Without waiting to knock, as he had felt compelled to do on the one or two previous occasions that business had brought him there, he immediately turned the handle and entered the room.

Editors' officers differ but little in general effect. Lakeley's surroundings were rather more elaborate than is usual, as became the dignity of the oldest Tory evening paper, but scarcely had he opened Chilcoite's letters, scarcely had he taken a cursory glance at the morning's newspaper than it was borne in upon him that not only a new leaf, but a whole sheaf of new leaves, had been turned in his prospects by a hand infinitely more powerful and arbitrary than his own. He realized within the space of a few moments that the leisure Eve might have been tempted to devote to her, was no longer his to dispose of, being already demanded of him from a quarter that allowed of no refusal.

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"It never rains but it pours."

Over the Phone Screams of Agony are Heard by Patrons of Party Line

Centerville, Ia., Feb. 26.—Rural telephone users all over Wayne county today heard the screams of Mrs. George Stech while she struggled desperately with a tramp who attacked her in her home near the county line.

Men in the homes of her nearest neighbors who hastened to get out teams and rush to her assistance, were too late to save Mrs. Stech or capture her assailant. Tonight posses with bloodhounds are searching the countryside and there is a chance that the tramp will be lynched if captured.

Phone Left Open in Struggle.

Mrs. Stech says the tramp came to her door early in the afternoon and demanded admittance. She was alone in the house with her three-year old girl, and frightened she closed the door in the tramp's face and locked it. The man at once commenced to break down the door.

DEATHS OF A DAY

Robert Hook.

Mr. Robert S. Hook, one of the oldest and best known men in Ballard county, died Sunday of pneumonia. Mr. Hook was a native of Christian county, but had been living in this section since his early manhood. He was a consistent member of the Christian church for many years. He was a member of the church at Hinkleville. Mr. Hook is survived by two daughters: Mrs. J. M. Skinner, of Hinkleville, and Miss Annie T. Hook. His son was Mr. Ed Hook, formerly of Paducah, but now an express messenger between Cairo and New Orleans.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock with services at his residence and the burial in the Hook graveyard, near Hinkleville.

REV. DR. WRIGHT

Meets With Success in Series of Lenten Lectures.

Monday's Louisville Evening Post says:

"In a twenty-minutes' address teeming with pointed phrase, logical thought concisely expressed, and convincing argument, the Rev. David C. Wright of Paducah, at the Lenten service today at noon at the board of trade, impressed upon a large gathering of men the fact that while religion is mysterious, it is not any more so than daily life. 'Religion Utterly Mysterious, But Perfectly Rational,' was the theme on which he spoke. He will have charge of the Lenten services all this week. His address today made an excellent impression, and his addresses the remainder of the week will doubtless attract many men."

"His list of subjects is as follows: Monday—'Religion Less Mysterious Than Daily Life.'

"Tuesday—'Must One Believe in Miracles to Be a Christian?'

"Wednesday—'Prayer—Perfectly Rational and Scientific.'

"Thursday—'What Does Religion Demand of Me?'

"Friday—'The Ten Great Words.'

It is funny how sure every woman is that she has the same qualities as the heroine in her favorite novel.

The charity which begins at home is apt to be out when poor relations call.

MISS JOHNSON TO WED ITALIAN.

Daughter of Cleveland's Mayor and Former Actress Engaged.

Cleveland, Feb. 26.—Miss Elizabeth Flourney Johnson, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. Tom L. Johnson, is engaged to marry Signor Frederico Mariani, of Milan, Italy. The date of the marriage has not yet been set. Miss Johnson, in addition to being the daughter of the famous "Best Mayor of the Best Governed City," is well known in theatrical circles, having been on the stage with Annie Russell and having written a French and an English play. Signor Mariani is reported as the possessor of large estates in Italy, and a patent of nobility.

The engagement comes after a courtship extending over six years. During the last six months the Italian has been an almost constant guest at the Johnson home here. Within the last two months Signor Mariani and his bride-to-be have been writing a new play. The date of the marriage has not been announced.

Mayor Johnson says that as far as he knows the young couple had no definite plans for the future.

FALL FROM CAR KILLS PASTOR.

Dr. Everett D. Burr, of Newton Center, Mass., Crushed by Train.

Westboro, Mass., Feb. 26.—The mutilated and dismembered body of Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr, a Baptist clergyman of Newton Center, was found today, lying beside the railroad tracks, near the Summer street bridge. The face was bruised, the skull fractured, both arms were broken and both legs amputated. The clothing was torn to shreds.

Medical Examiner Charles S. Knight stated that death was due to accident. He said that the victim had undoubtedly fallen from a moving train while passing from one car to another.

Dr. Burr was one of the best-known clergymen of the Baptist denomination in Massachusetts, and was prominent as a lecturer. He was an alumnus of Brown University and the Candler Theological Seminary of Pennsylvania.

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Restaurant Fines and Tips.

In the March McClure's there is an interesting article entitled "The Diary of an Amateur Waitress" by Maud Younger, which treats one of our industrial problems from a worker's point of view. The writer narrates her experience in various New York restaurants and describes the system of fines in one of them as follows:

"Are there many fines?" I asked.
"Many!" she exclaimed. "You're fined if you break anything; you're fined if the ice melts on the butter so that the water runs on the table; you're fined if the spoon ain't in the sugar-bowl. There's mighty few girls that gets full wages here. The firm sometimes makes a dollar a week off a girl."

I smiled and turned toward her. "Well I suppose the tips will help me out."

"Tips," she laughed. "It's a long time you'll be here before you see the sign of a tip. Why, in all New York, it's half the girls and more that makes nothing on the side."

"Can they live on their wages?" I asked.

She gave me a scrutinizing glance. "What did you work at before?" she asked, eyeing me with a level gaze.

"I never worked in a restaurant," I answered noncommittally.

"I thought not," she said, "or you'd know that a girl can't live long on four dollars a week, or even five, without some other means of support."

An Heirloom.



"It's been in our family so long that I can't part with it."

SERIOUS CHARGE

Preferred Against Colored Man By Uncle of Girl.

Charged with criminally assaulting Willie Henry, a 12-year-old colored girl. George Read, colored, 38 years old visited the girl's house a short time after the alleged assault and was attacked by the child's mother with a knife and seriously cut. He was later arrested and taken to jail pending trial. A warrant was issued at the instance of Jim Brown, an uncle, and Patrolman Henry Singery

arrested Read at 8 o'clock last night at his home.

This morning at the city hall the girl was medically examined by Drs. Horace T. Rivers and H. T. Hessell and every indication of criminal assault found. This was reported to the court and to Attorney J. C. Diuguid, employed by Read. When the case was called, the last on the docket, Attorney Diuguid waived examination for his client, who was promptly held over.

Patrolman Singery stated this

morning that colored residents adjacent to Read's home declare this is not the first time he has been suspected of criminal assault on young girls, and great feeling has existed against him for some time.

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